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In re Patent Application of

Dietmar LERCHE et al.

Application No.: 10/591,701

Filed: July 9, 2007

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE
CHARACTERIZATION OF
MULTIPLE SAMPLES OF ONE OR
VARIOUS DISPERSIONS

) MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

) Group Art Unit: 2857

) Examiner: Mischita L. HENSON

) Confirmation No.: 2957

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REQUEST FOR REFUND

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a refund of an erroneously filed additional claims fee in the amount of \$156.00 charged to American Express Credit Card No. 3785 961669 11009, on December 17, 2009.

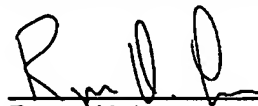
An Assertion Under 37 C.F.R. §1.27(c) of Entitlement to Claim Small Entity Status, in which small entity status was claimed, was filed on October 2, 2007. A copy of such paper is enclosed. Accordingly, the PTO is requested to issue a refund in the amount of \$156.00 to American Express Credit Card No. 3785 961669 11009.

Respectfully submitted,

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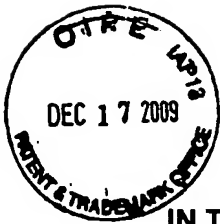
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In further response to the Official Action (final rejection) issued on July 10, 2009, and further to the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 and Request for Continued Examination filed on November 10, 2009, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the claims are set forth in the listing of claims beginning at page 2 of this paper. Applicants' remarks begin at page 12 of this paper.

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